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In re Application of :
BANNEN, Lynne Canne et al. :
Application No.: 10/518,110 : DECISION
PCT No.: PCT/US03/18262 :
Int. Filing Date: 11 June 2003 : ON REQUEST UNDER
Priority Date: 12 June 2002 :
Attorney's Docket No.: EX02-039C-US : 37 CFR 1.497(d)
For: HUMAN ADAM-10 INHIBITORS :

This decision is in response to "Renewed Request Under 37 CFR 1.497(d)," filed on 26 October 2005.

BACKGROUND

On 11 June 2003, applicants filed international application PCT/US03/18262, which claimed a priority date of 12 June 2002. The deadline for entry into the national stage in the United States was midnight on 12 December 2004.

On 10 December 2004, applicants filed a submission for entry into the national stage in the United States, accompanied by, *inter alia*, the U.S. Basic National Fee and a declaration of the inventors.

On 16 June 2005, the Office mailed Notification of Missing Requirements, indicating that the declaration listed an inventor not listed on the international application and requiring an oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a)-(b) and the surcharge for late filing of the oath or declaration.

On 15 July 2005, applicants filed a request to add an inventor.

On 03 October 2005, the Office mailed Decision On Request Under 37 CFR 1.497(d), refusing applicants' request.

On 26 October 2005, applicants filed the instant renewed petition.

DISCUSSION

Applicants file this request to add Richard George Khoury as an inventor.

A request under 37 CFR 1.497(d) requires: (1) a statement from each person being added as an inventor and from each person being deleted as an inventor that any error in inventorship in the international application occurred without deceptive intention on his or her part; (2) the processing fee set forth in §1.17(i); and (3) the written consent of the assignee, if an original named inventor has executed an assignment.

Items (1) and (2) were previously satisfied.

Item (3) has now been satisfied. Applicants have supplied the consent of the assignee.

The 26 October 2005 declaration complies with 37 CFR 1.497(a)-(b).

CONCLUSION

For the above reasons, applicants' petition under 37 CFR 1.497(d) is **GRANTED**.

This application is being forwarded to the National Stage Processing Branch of the Office of PCT Operations to continue national stage processing of the application. The application has a 35 U.S.C. §371(c)(1), (c)(2) and (c)(4) date of **26 October 2005**.



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